STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA

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1. TITLE OF NEWSPAPER Groton DAKOTA PRESS		2. DATE OF FILING 10-2-00
3. FREQUENCY OF ISSUE Weekly	3A. NO. OF ISSUES PUBLISHED ANNUALLY 52	3B. ANNUAL SUBSCRIPTION PRICE 24.00 locally
4. COMPLETE MAILING ADDRESS OF KNOWN OFFICE OF PUBLICATION *(Street, City, County, State and ZIP+4 Code) (Not printers)* 30 N. main, Groton, SD 57445		
5. COMPLETE MAILING ADDRESS OF THE HEADQUARTERS OR GENERAL BUSINESS OFFICES OF THE PUBLISHER *(Not printer)* PO Box 1665, Groton, SD 57445		
6. FULL NAME OF PUBLISHER: Kathryn LoRita Sundermeyer		
7. OWNER *(If owned by a corporation, its name and address must be stated and list on the back of this form the names and addresses of stockholders owning or holding 1 percent or more of total amount of stock. If not owned by a corporation, the names and addresses of the individual owners must be given. If owned by a partnership or other unincorporated firm, its name and address, as well as that of each individual must be given.* FULL NAME — COMPLETE MAILING ADDRESS Kathryn LoRita Sundermeyer Rt. 2 Box 40, Andover, SD 57422		
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A. TOTAL NO. COPIES *(Net Press Run)*	459	450
B. PAID AND/OR REQUESTED CIRCULATION 1. Sales through dealers and carriers, street vendors and counter sales	16	16
2. Mail Subscription *(Paid and or requested)*	337	333
C. TOTAL PAID AND/OR REQUESTED CIRCULATION *(Sum of 10B1 and 10B2)*	353	349
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